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IMAGINE, GLORIA, WE'LL
ACTUALLY BE MODELLING
THESE PRICELESS JEWELS
TOMORROW NIGHT.

HLUMPH! I CAN
IMAGINE ME, BUT
NOT YOU, KATY!

NOW, REMEMBER,
IVAN... KEEP YOUR
EYES ON THE JEWELS,
AND NOT ON THE
MODELS!!

BELGRAVIA
CROWN JEWEL
COLLECTION

SUITS BY
RACHEL BAUMANN,
YORKTOWN HEIGHTS,
NY.

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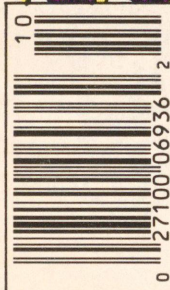
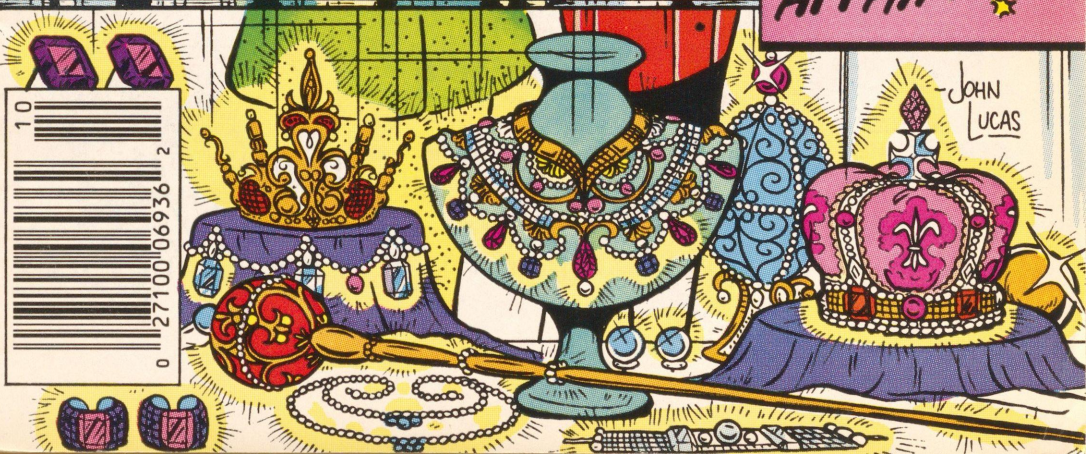
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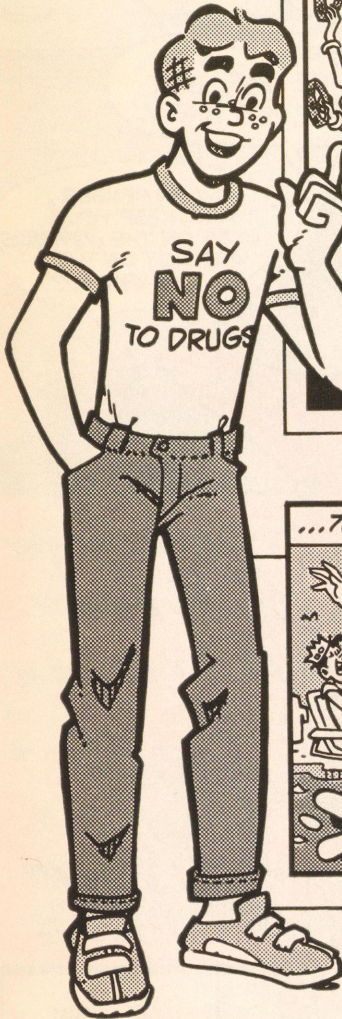
KATY STARS IN:

"THE
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AFFAIR!"

JOHN
LUCAS



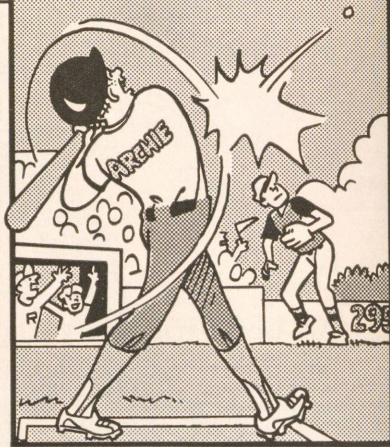
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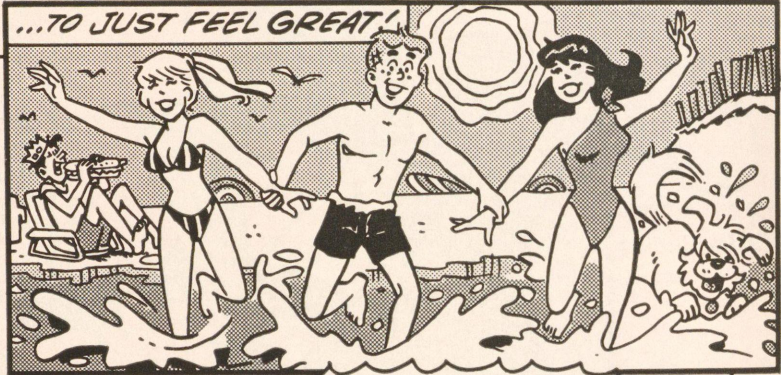
...TO ENJOY MUSIC!



...TO PLAY SPORTS!



...TO JUST FEEL GREAT!



YOU
HAVE A
CHOICE!!

SAY "NO" TO DRUGS!

A PUBLIC
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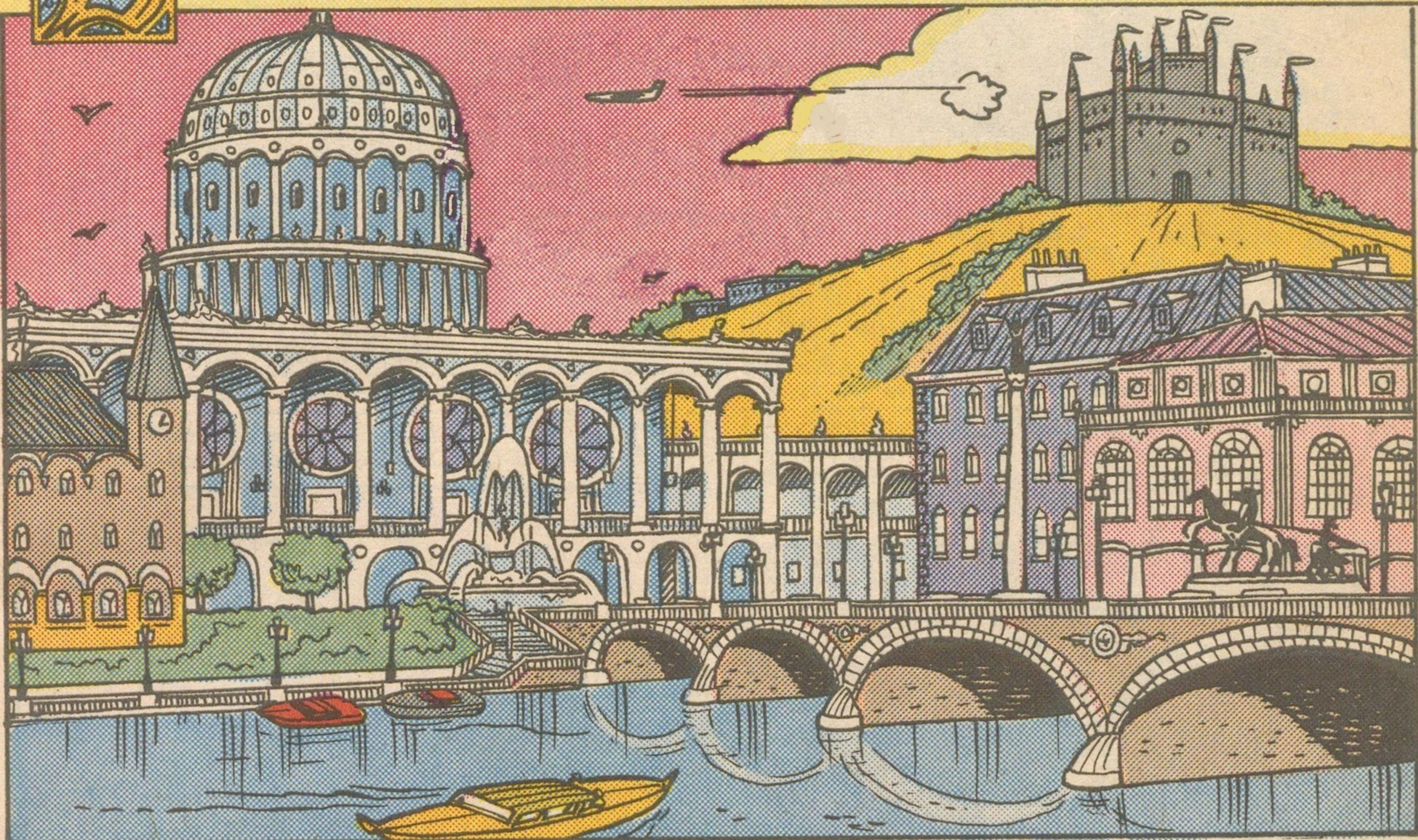


KATY
KEENE
in --

"the CROWN JEWEL Affair"

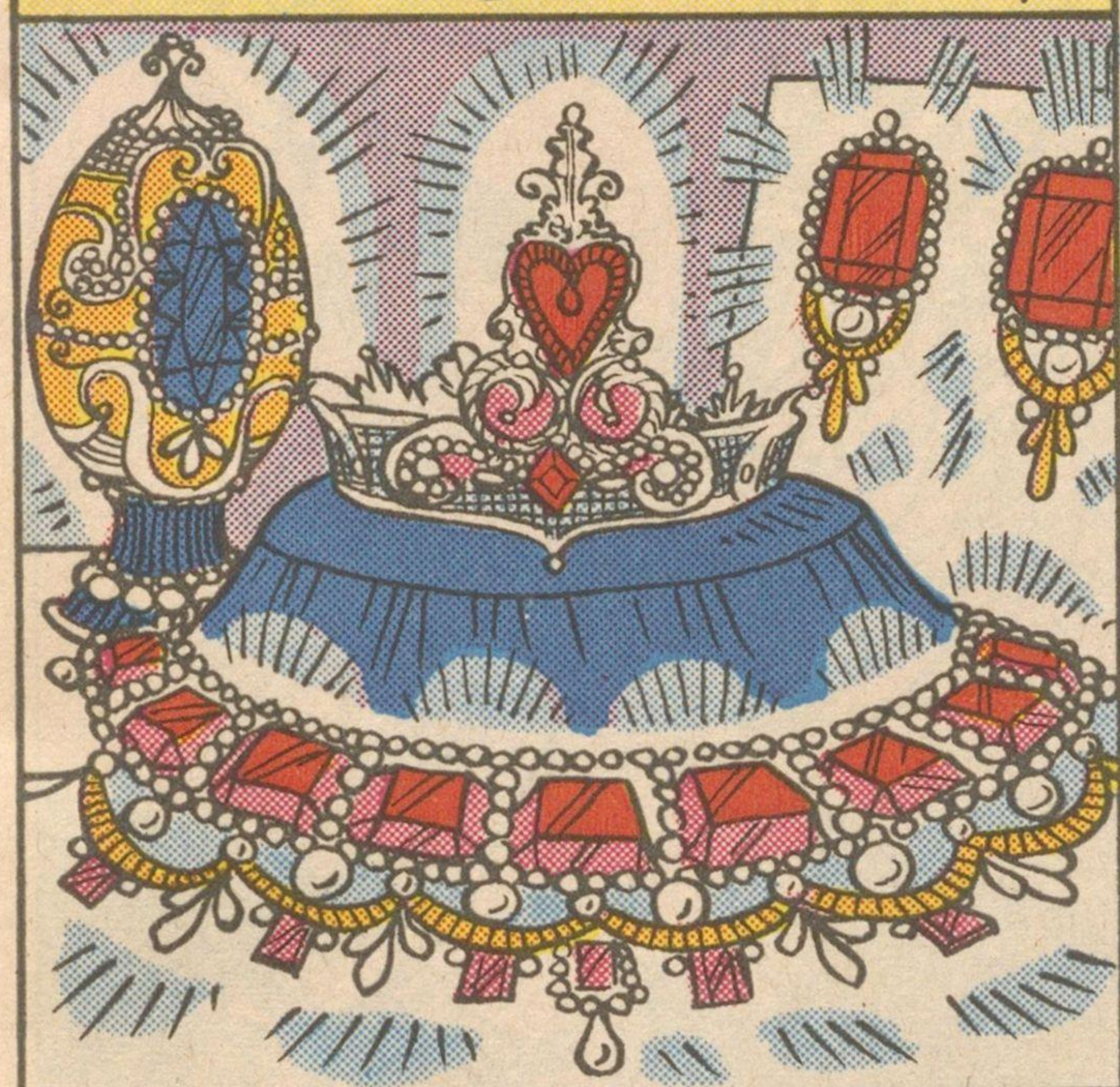


BELGRAVIA-- FOGGY, BEAUTIFUL, ROMANTIC. STEEPED IN HISTORY... AND MYSTERY. TOP MODELS, KATY KEENE AND GLORIA GRANBILT, ARRIVE HERE ON ONE OF THE MOST EXCITING ASSIGNMENTS OF THEIR SUCCESSFUL CAREERS...



SCRIPT: SUSAN BERKLEY PENCILLING: JOHN LUCAS INKING: CHIC STONE LETTERING: BILL YOSHIDA COLORING/PRODUCTION: BARRY GROSSMAN EDITOR: MICHAEL SILBERKLEIT

... TO MODEL THE CROWN JEWELS!!



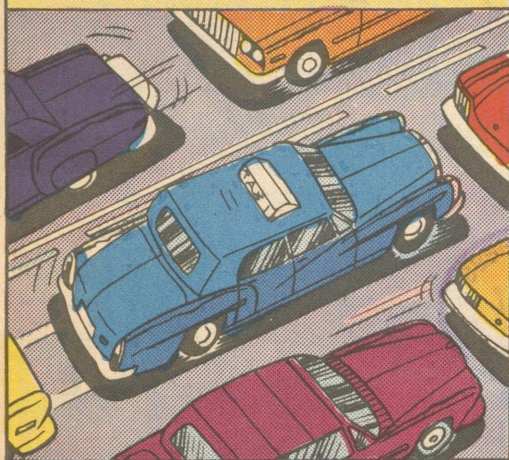
GEE, LUCKY, I'M SO GLAD YOU COULD COME ALONG ON THIS SHOOT, I HAVEN'T WORKED WITH YOU AS A STYLIST FOR AWHILE!

EVEN I MUST ADMIT YOU'RE THE ONLY ONE WHO CAN DO TRUE JUSTICE TO MY HAIR AND MAKE-UP!



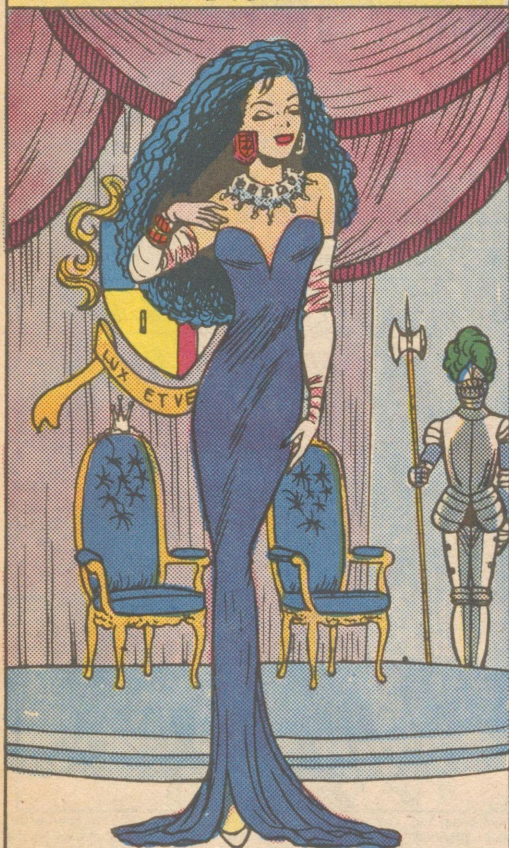
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THEIR CAB WINDS ITS WAY THROUGH
DOWNTOWN TRAFFIC EN ROUTE TO...



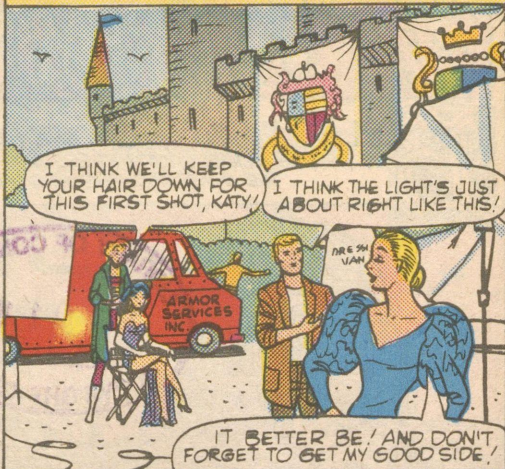
KATY'S GOWN BY DANIELLE LUTERZO, ELMWOOD PK, N.J.

THE JEWELS ARE REMOVED FROM THE ARMORED
TRUCK! KATY SHOWS HOW THE MATCHING RUBY
EARRINGS, NECKLACE AND ELEGANT DESIGNER
GOWN WORK TOGETHER FOR A STUNNING
EFFECT...



THRONE ROOM BY NICOLE PIERCE, ONTARIO, CAN.
HAIRSTYLES BY ZOILA DIAZ, WILLIMANTIC, CT.
JEWELS BY SHANA JOYCE, NORTHBORO, MA.

... THE FAMOUS CASTLE OF KING LESTUS!

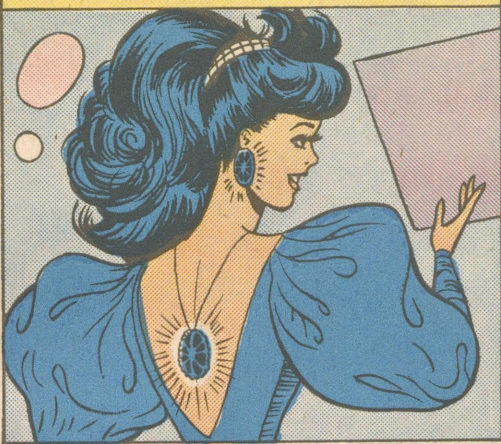


GLORIA'S GOWN BY PETRA WILM, FAIRBANKS AK.

NOTHING BUT THE BEST FOR GLORIA GRANBILT!
BRILLIANT DIAMONDS ADD EXOTIC APPEAL!

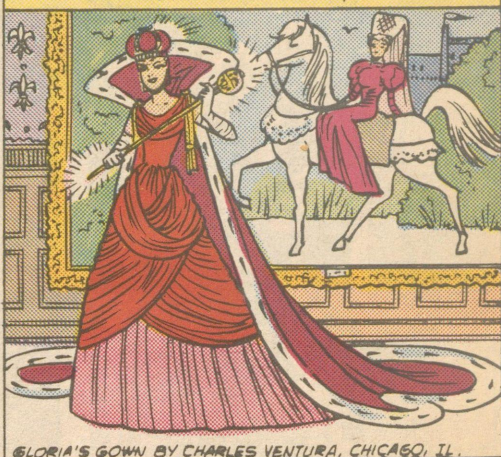


THIS MAGNIFICENT STAR SAPPHIRE ONCE BELONGED TO THE KING'S FIRST WIFE, QUEEN LAURA, WHO DIED TRAGICALLY AT A YOUNG AGE!



KATY'S GOWN BY DAWN DAEHLER, ORMOND BEACH, IL.

AND HERE'S GLORIA IN A RECREATION OF A ROYAL CORONATION!

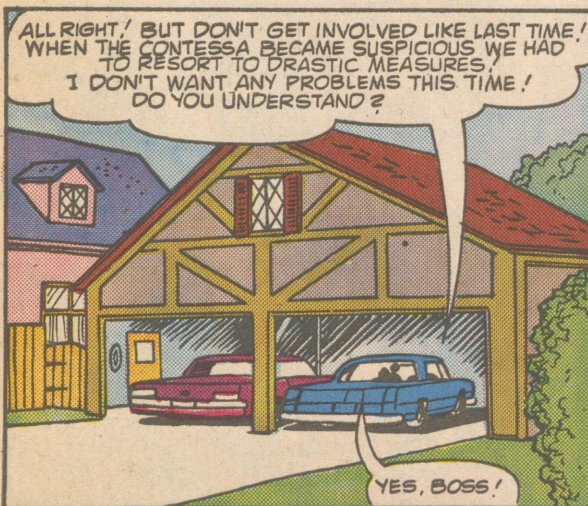
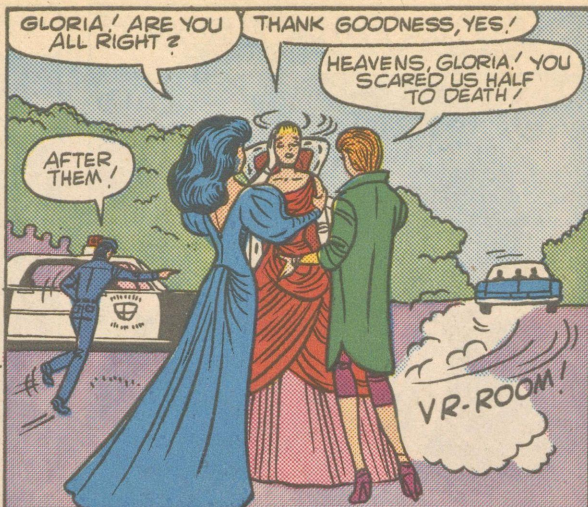
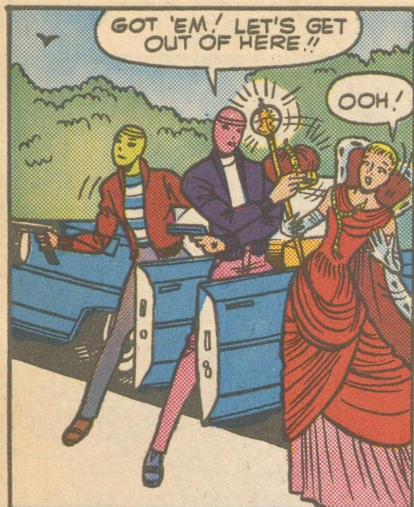


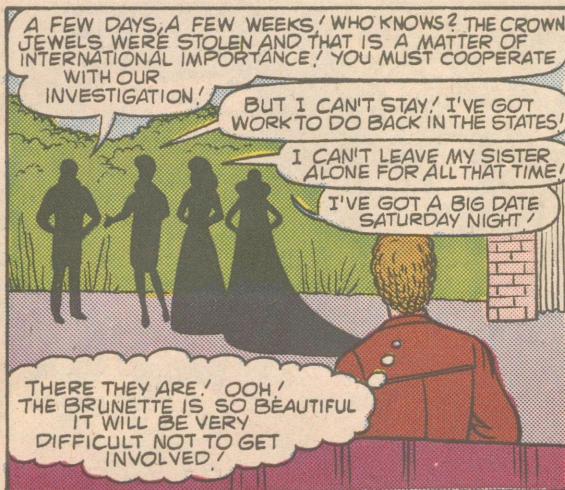
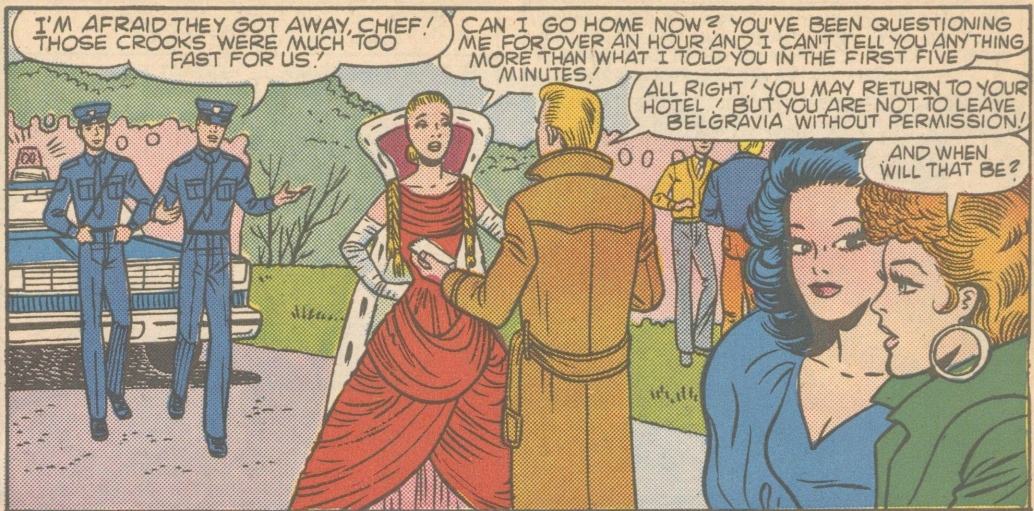
GLORIA'S GOWN BY CHARLES VENTURA, CHICAGO, IL.

KATY'S HAIRSTYLE BY COURTNEY L. DUNMORE, PA.

SUDDENLY TWO MASKED MEN BURST THROUGH THE POLICE CORDON!







WE ACCEPT YOUR KIND OFFER OF ASSISTANCE! BUT WE ARE VERY TIRED AND WOULD LIKE TO REST! COULD YOU PICK US UP AT OUR HOTEL IN A FEW HOURS? WE'RE AT THE PARK ROYAL!



CERTAINLY! I'LL BE THERE AT EIGHT AND WE CAN BEGIN THE INVESTIGATION!

LUCKY'S OUTFIT BY DONALD TENNEY, HOUSTON, TX.

BACK AT THE HOTEL THE GIRLS CALL THE CHIEF OF POLICE...

BUT HE'S MEETING US HERE AT EIGHT O'CLOCK! CAN'T YOU JUST ARREST HIM?



NOT YET! WITHOUT THE JEWELS THE EVIDENCE IS INSUBSTANTIAL! I'D LIKE YOU GIRLS TO STAY WITH HIM A LITTLE LONGER AND SEE WHAT DEVELOPS! WE'LL SEND THE SECRET SERVICE TO FOLLOW YOU IN CASE THERE'S ANY TROUBLE...

LUCKY'S CURLY HAIRSTYLE BY HER NUMEROUS FANS!

OKAY... AS LONG AS YOU CAN GUARANTEE OUR SAFETY!



DON'T WORRY! WE WON'T LET YOU OUT OF OUR SIGHT!

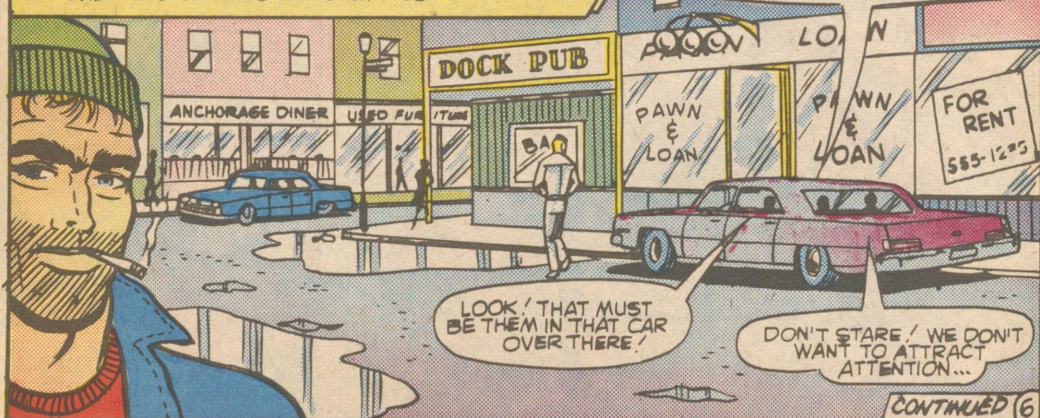
WOW! WE'RE IN THE MIDDLE OF REAL-LIFE INTERNATIONAL DRAMA!



I DON'T KNOW IF I LIKE THIS...

GLORIA'S OUTFIT BY BETH VASQUES, HOLLYWOOD, FL.

THAT NIGHT VLADIMIR TAKES THE GIRLS TO A SEEDY DOCKSIDE PUB! THEY WAIT IN THE CAR WHILE HE GOES INSIDE UNDER THE FALSE PRETEXT OF CHECKING WITH HIS "INFORMANTS"---



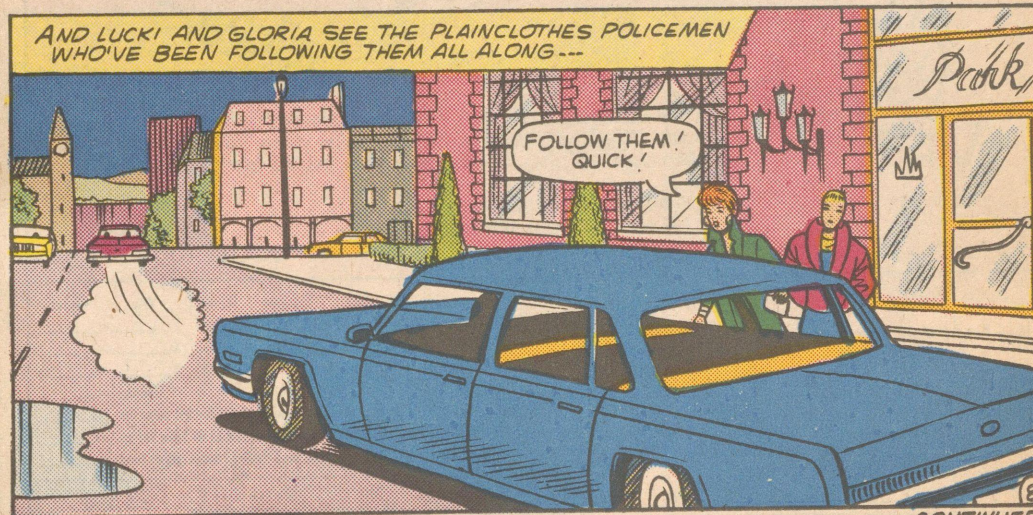
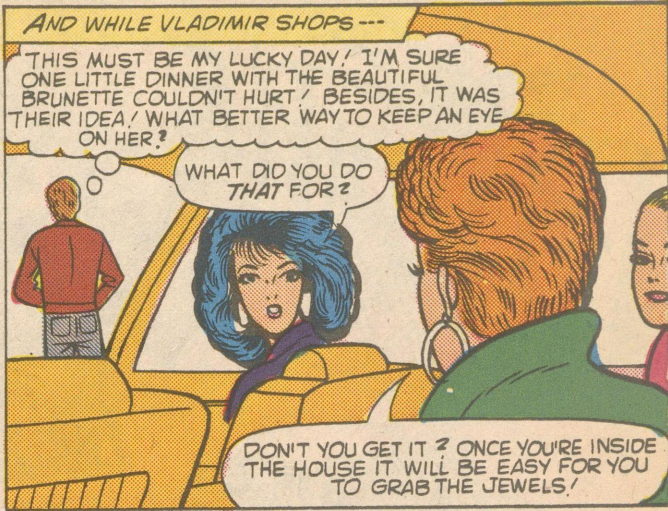
YEECH! THIS PLACE GIVES ME THE CREEPS! I HOPE THE POLICE ARE AROUND HERE SOMEWHERE...

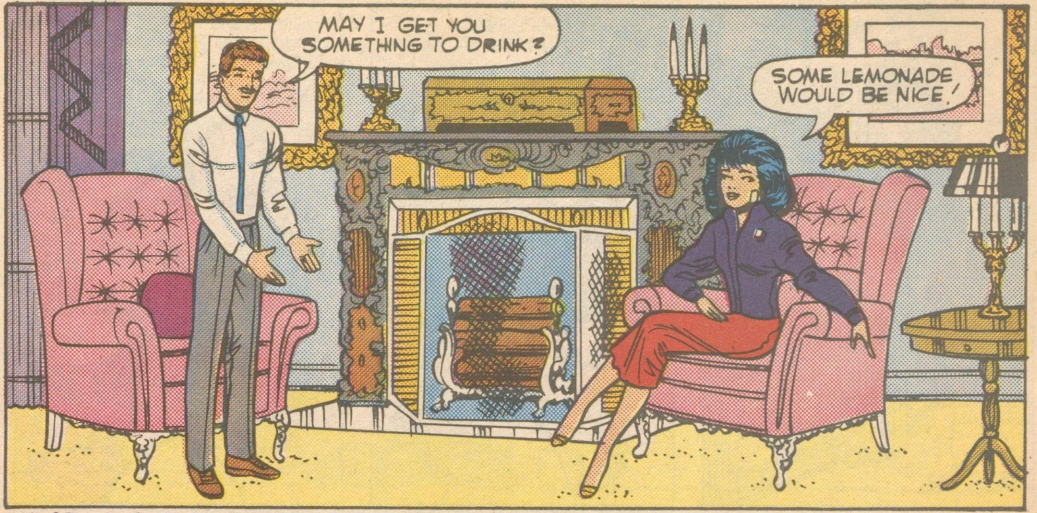
LOOK! THAT MUST BE THEM IN THAT CAR OVER THERE!

DON'T STARE! WE DON'T WANT TO ATTRACT ATTENTION...

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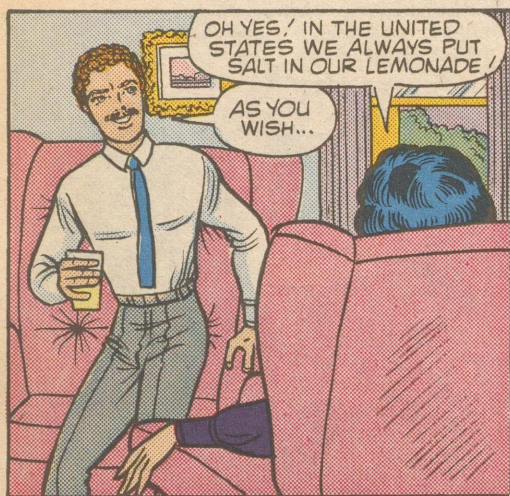
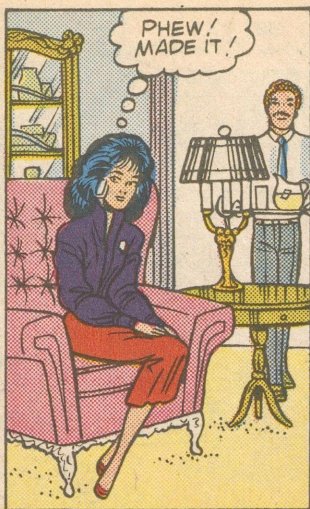
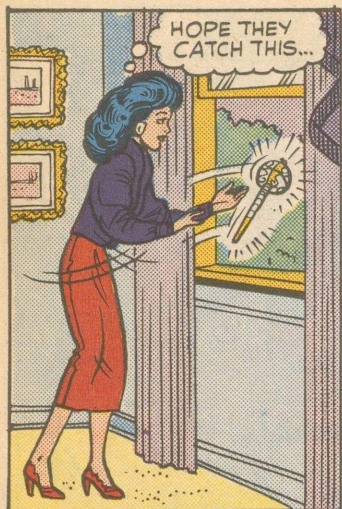


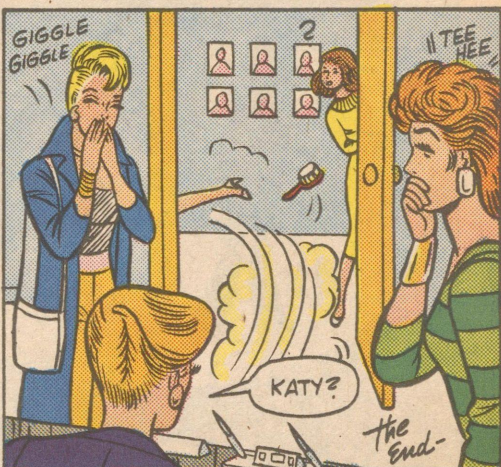
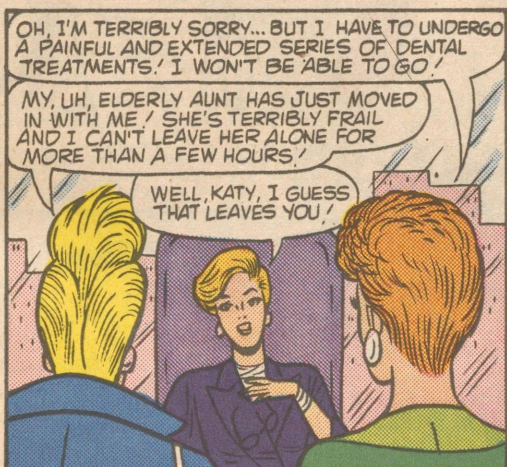
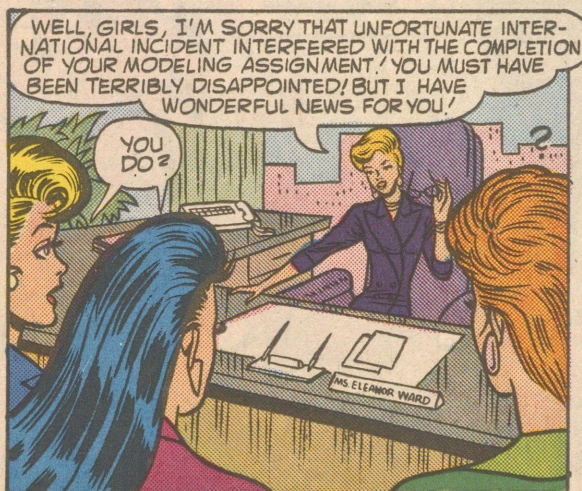




VLADIMIR'S DUDS BY LYNN O'DAFFER, DANVILLE, IL.







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★ ★ ON NBC TV-SATURDAY MORNINGS-STARTING SEPT. 12 ★ ★

Katy Keene's

Fashion

Gems!

and Treasured Designers-

YOU PEOPLE SEND THE BEST DESIGNS EVER! I WISH I COULD SHOW THEM ALL BUT OUR BOOK WOULD HAVE TO HAVE A THOUSAND PAGES EACH ISSUE! SEND ME YOUR CREATIVE DESIGNS TO THE ADDRESS GIVEN BELOW - AND THANKS!

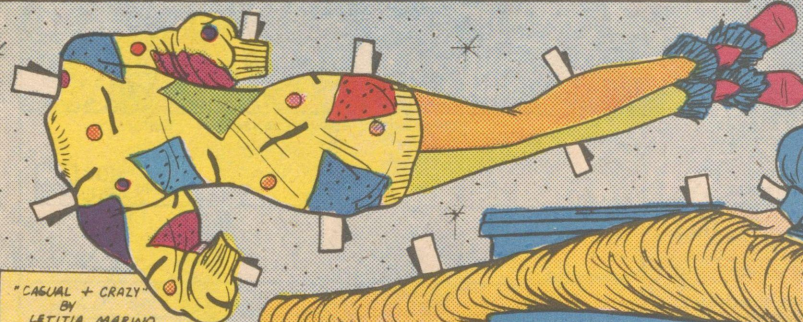
John S. Lucas



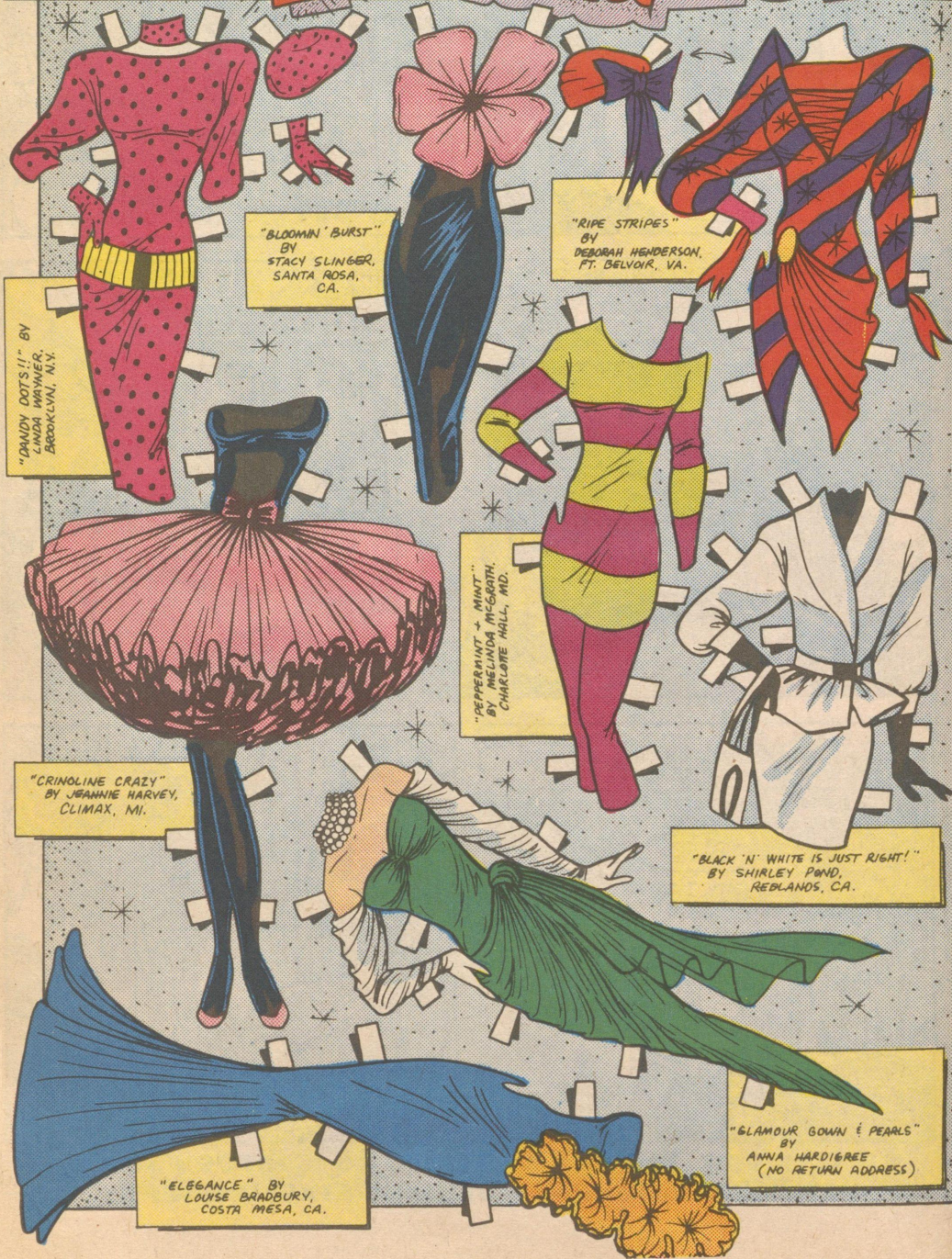
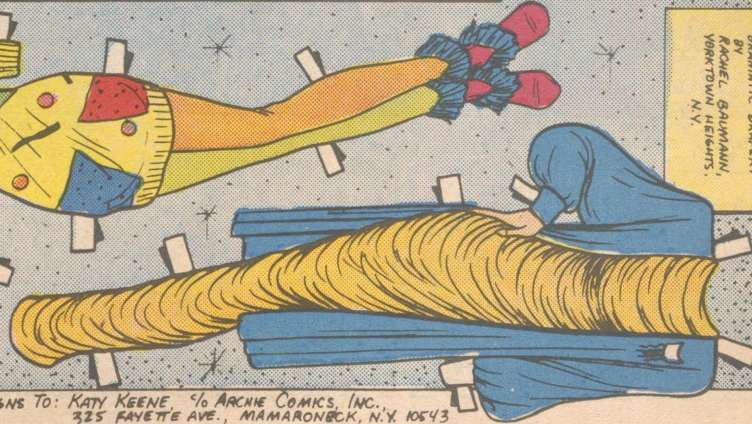
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"REPERMINT + MINT" BY MELINDA McGRATH, CHARLOTTE HALL, MD.

"CRINOLINE CRAZY" BY JEANNIE HARVEY, CLIMAX, MI.

"BLACK 'N' WHITE IS JUST RIGHT!" BY SHIRLEY POND, REBLANDS, CA.

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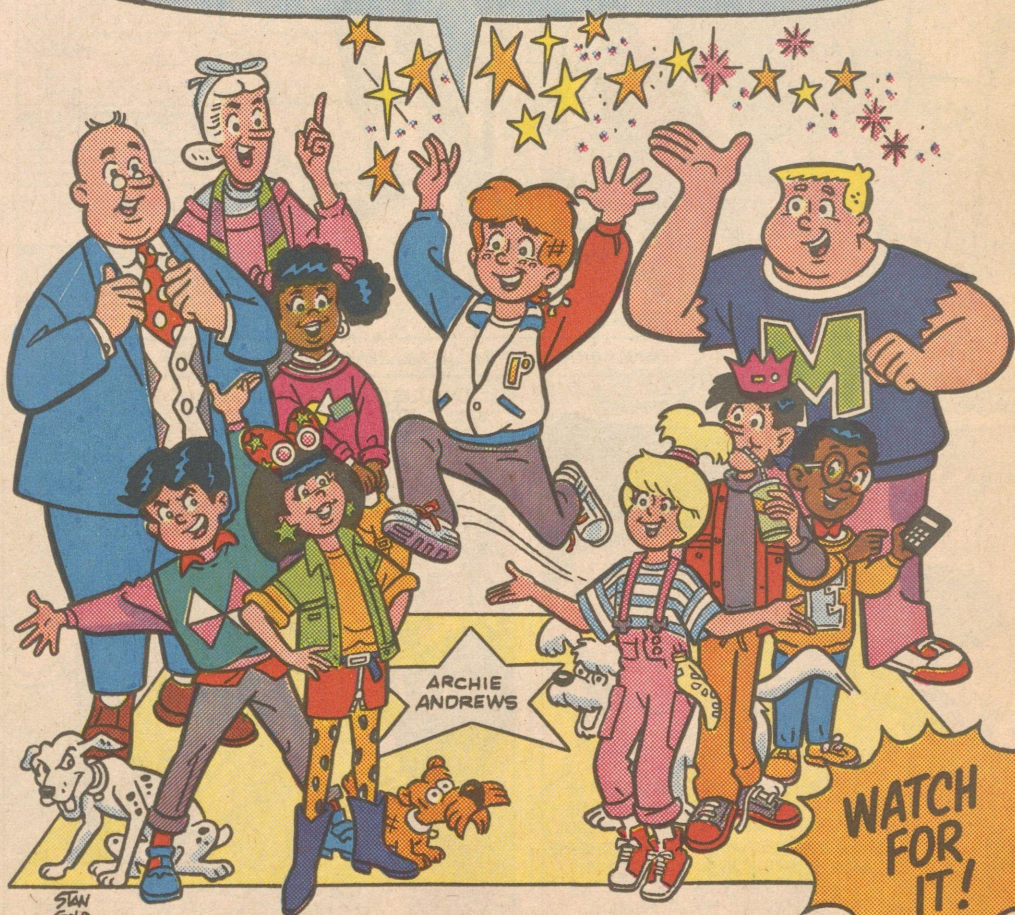
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NEW?
?

The New Archies

ON **NBC TV**
THAT'S WHAT!

HEY, KIDS! THE NEW ARCHIES ARE TAKING OFF WITH A BRAND NEW CARTOON SERIES, SATURDAY MORNINGS ON NBC, STARTING SEPTEMBER 12, 1987. YOU'LL SEE WILD NEW ADVENTURES, MEET SOME NEW FRIENDS, AND SHARE IN THE FUN AND SURPRISES!



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IT!

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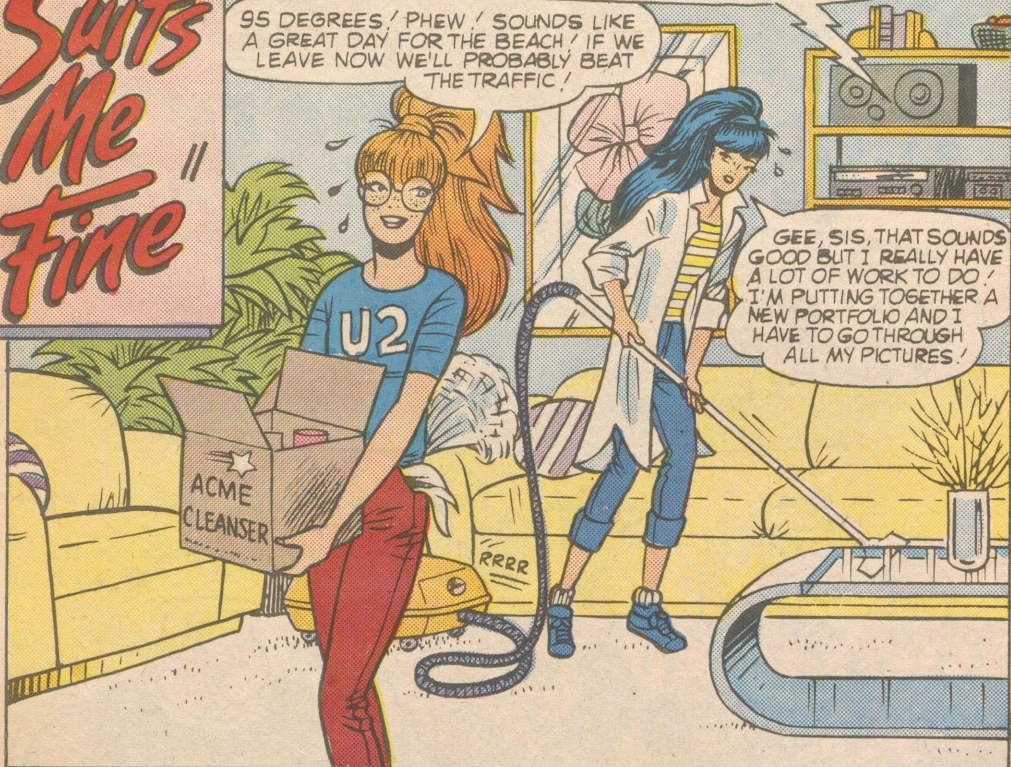
KATY & Sis IN Suits Me Fine

ON SATURDAY MORNING EVEN OUR SUPERMODEL, KATY KEENE, AND HER SISTER, HAVE TO DO HOUSEWORK...

AND NOW THE WXRK WEEKEND WEATHER / MOSTLY SUNNY TODAY WITH A HIGH OF 95 DEGREES. / COOLER AT THE SHORE...

95 DEGREES / PHEW / SOUNDS LIKE A GREAT DAY FOR THE BEACH / IF WE LEAVE NOW WE'LL PROBABLY BEAT THE TRAFFIC!

GEE, SIS, THAT SOUNDS GOOD BUT I REALLY HAVE A LOT OF WORK TO DO / I'M PUTTING TOGETHER A NEW PORTFOLIO AND I HAVE TO GO THROUGH ALL MY PICTURES!



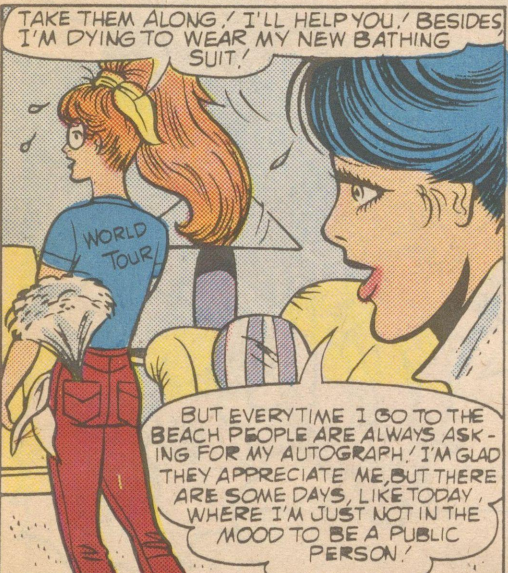
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TAKE THEM ALONG / I'LL HELP YOU / BESIDES, I'M DYING TO WEAR MY NEW BATHING SUIT!

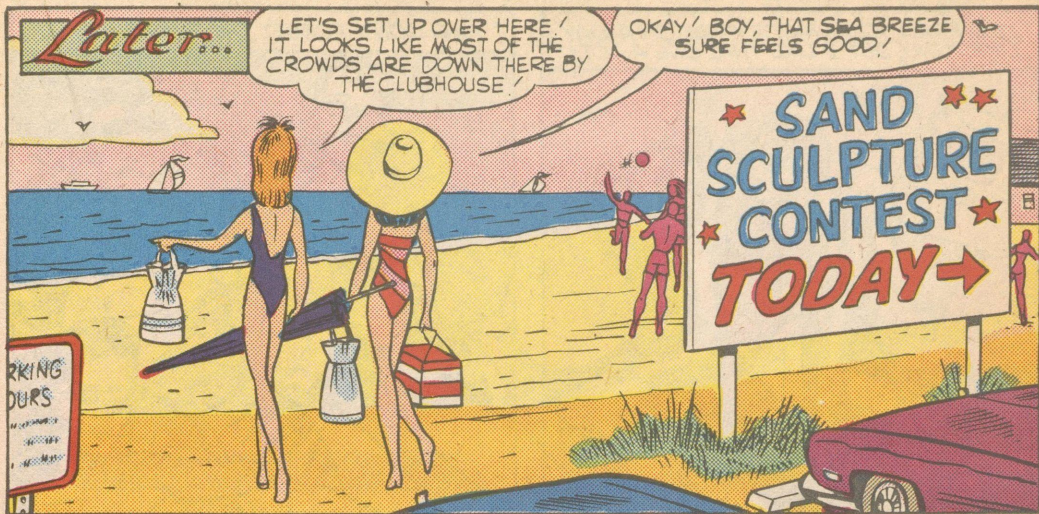
LOOK, JUST PUT THESE ON AND NO ONE WILL NOTICE YOU. * WE'VE GOT TO GO / IT'S GOING TO BE A PERFECT DAY!

BUT EVERYTIME I GO TO THE BEACH PEOPLE ARE ALWAYS ASKING FOR MY AUTOGRAPH / I'M GLAD THEY APPRECIATE ME, BUT THERE ARE SOME DAYS, LIKE TODAY, WHERE I'M JUST NOT IN THE MOOD TO BE A PUBLIC PERSON!

OH ALL RIGHT / BUT ONLY IF WE SIT AWAY FROM CROWDS!



* FAT CHANCE - ED.



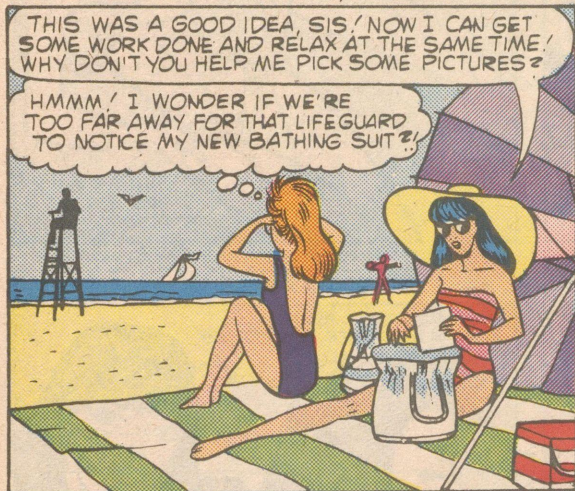
Later...

LET'S SET UP OVER HERE / IT LOOKS LIKE MOST OF THE CROWDS ARE DOWN THERE BY THE CLUBHOUSE /

OKAY / BOY, THAT SEA BREEZE SURE FEELS GOOD!

SIS' SWIMSUIT BY TRINA BURKE, WINTER PK. FL.

KATY'S SUIT BY: MONTRECE MCNEILL, HOPEWELL, VA.



THIS WAS A GOOD IDEA, SIS / NOW I CAN GET SOME WORK DONE AND RELAX AT THE SAME TIME / WHY DON'T YOU HELP ME PICK SOME PICTURES?

HMMM / I WONDER IF WE'RE TOO FAR AWAY FOR THAT LIFEGUARD TO NOTICE MY NEW BATHING SUIT?!



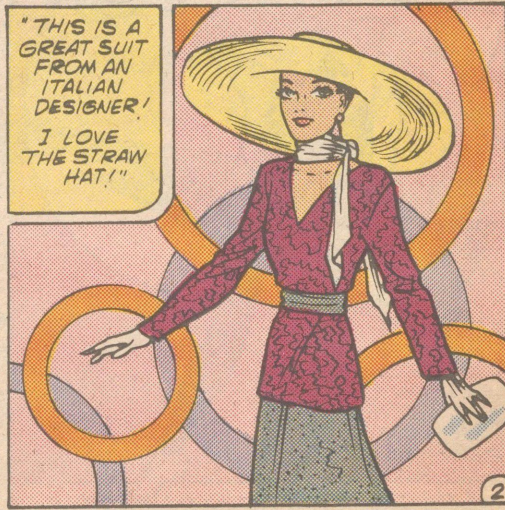
HERE'S ONE FROM THE PARIS COLLECTIONS I REALLY LIKE!

OH / GOOD IDEA...

SPANISH SUIT BY: LORNA CHAN, EDMONTON, ALBERTA

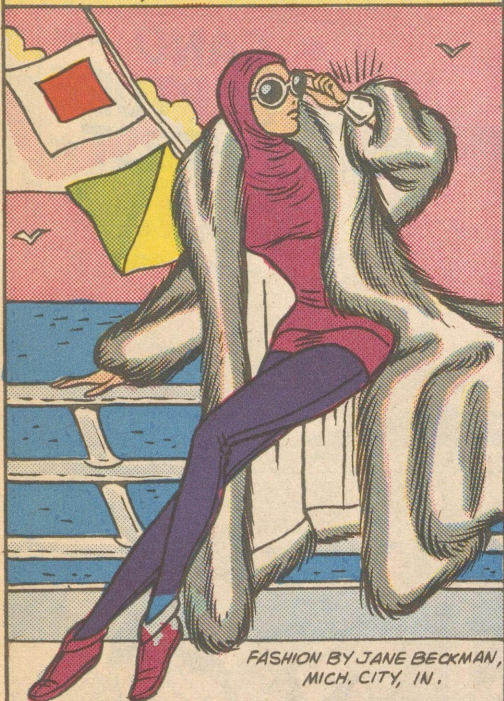
BIG HAT'S SUIT BY ALISHA LEE, ALAMEDA, CA.

...HEMLINES ARE GOING WAY UP THIS YEAR!



"THIS IS A GREAT SUIT FROM AN ITALIAN DESIGNER! I LOVE THE STRAW HAT!"

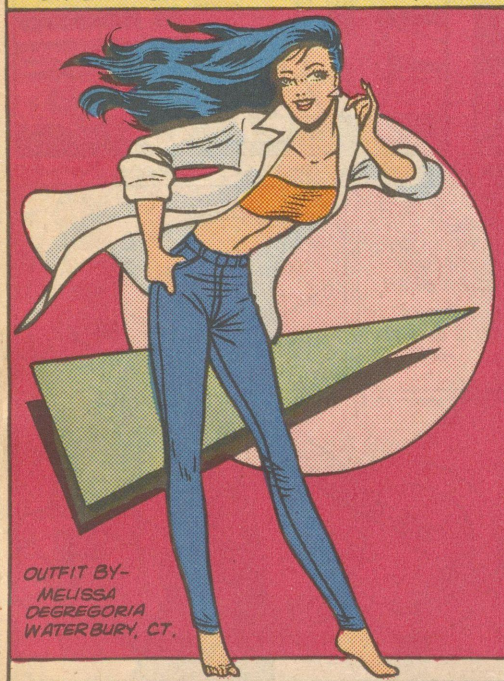
"IT'S HARD TO THINK OF FURS ON A DAY LIKE TODAY, BUT I LIKE THIS ONE A LOT!"



FASHION BY JANE BECKMAN,
MICH. CITY, IN.

① SWIMSUIT BY GABRIELA HERNANDEZ, HONDURAS

"HERE'S THE PHOTO THEY USED FOR
THAT BLUE JEANS AD THAT APPEARED
ON BILLBOARDS ALL OVER TOWN!"



OUTFIT BY-
MELISSA
DEGREGORIA
WATERBURY, CT.

"AND DON'T FORGET THE SWIMSUITS!"



③
SWIMSUIT BY
MORGAN TITUS,
VASSALBORO, MAINE

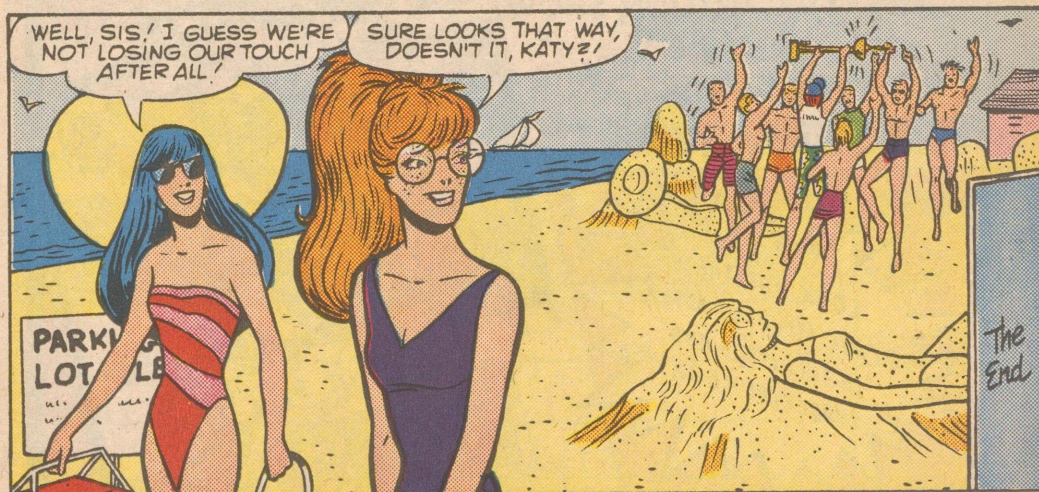
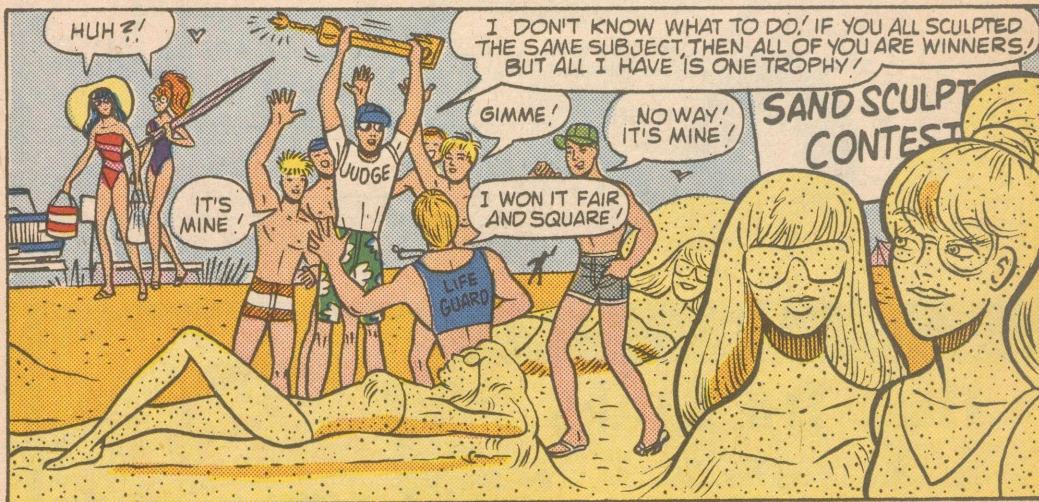
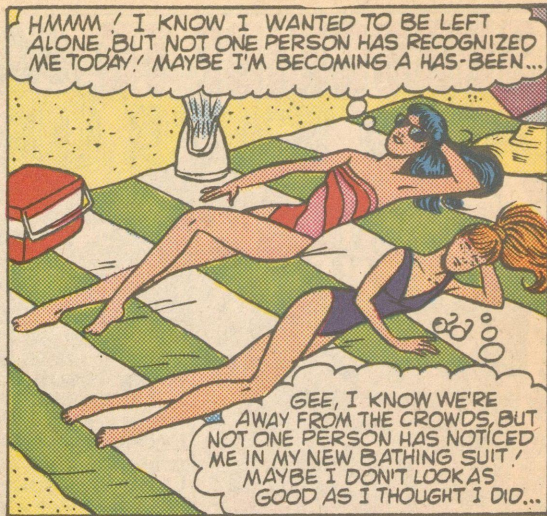
② SWIMSUIT BY KAY ROBINSON, ALAMOGORDO, N.M.

"LAST BUT NOT LEAST... HAIRSTYLES!"

ALL HAIRSTYLES BY
ZONDRA WARZONEK, WICHITA, KS.

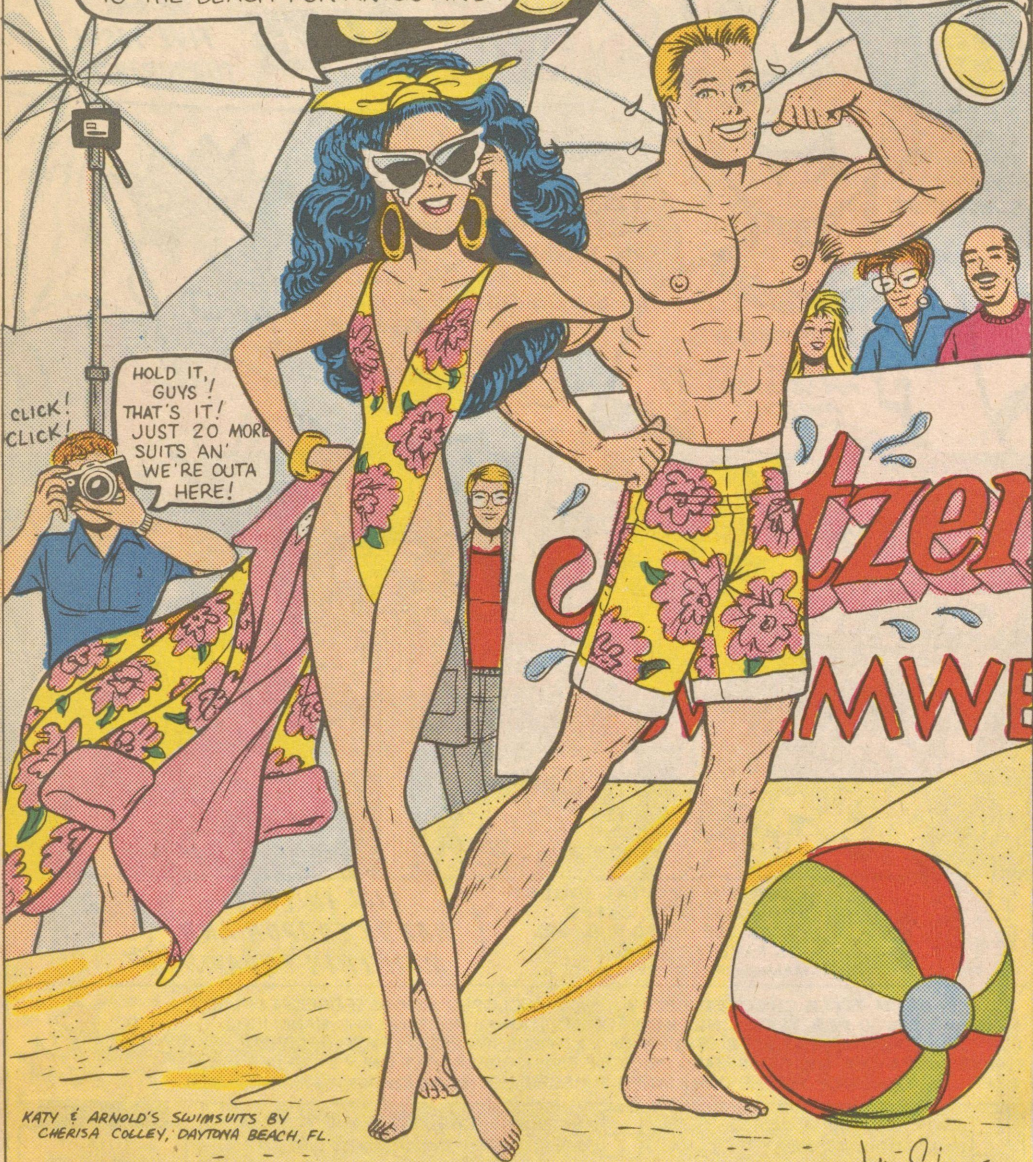


ALL EARRINGS BY MARTHA ANDERSON, MICH. CITY, IN.



HEY, ARNOLD! HOW ABOUT AFTER THIS SHOOT WE TAKE A RUN TO THE BEACH FOR AN OUTING?

WHAT? AND HAVE ALL THOSE PEOPLE STARE AT US? NO WAY, KATY!



HOLD IT, GUYS!
THAT'S IT!
JUST 20 MORE
SUITS AN'
WE'RE OUTA
HERE!

CLICK!
CLICK!

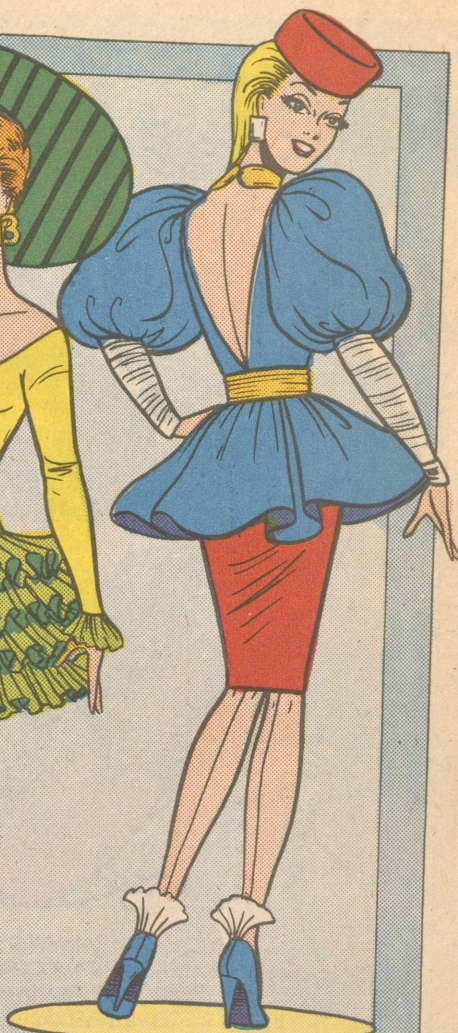
KATY & ARNOLD'S SWIMSUITS BY
CHERISA COLLEY, DAYTONA BEACH, FL.

-JOHN S. LUCAS-

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KATY'S FALL FADS!



GLORIA'S GLAMOROUS FASHION BY
CRYSTAL NOSEWORTHY, ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., CAN.

LUCKY'S LOVELY DESIGN BY
PENELOPE WOOD, KELOWNA, B.C., CAN.

KATY'S SEPTEMBER SENSATION BY
CHRISTINA CARRAVALLAN,
LIVONIA, MI.

— John S. Lucas

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September 1987

Katy Keene "GOLDY Oldies"

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GEORGE GLADIR

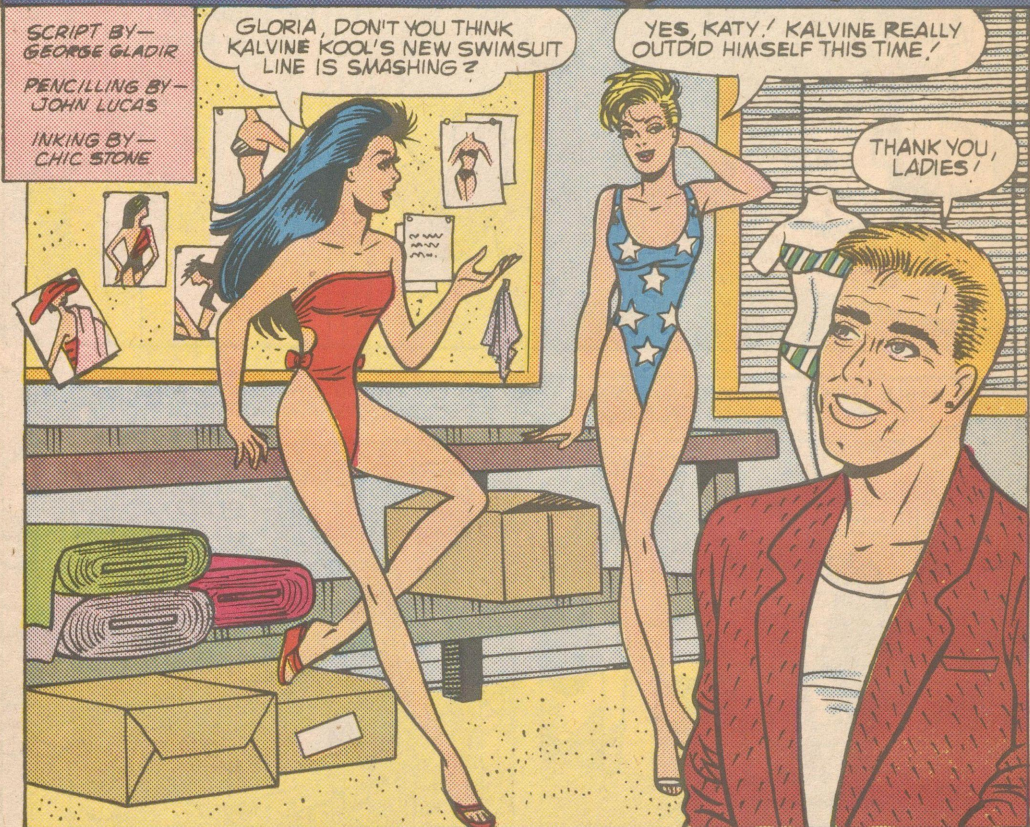
PENCILLING BY—
JOHN LUCAS

INKING BY—
CHIC STONE

GLORIA, DON'T YOU THINK
KALVINE KOOL'S NEW SWIMSUIT
LINE IS SMASHING?

YES, KATY! KALVINE REALLY
OUTDID HIMSELF THIS TIME!

THANK YOU,
LADIES!



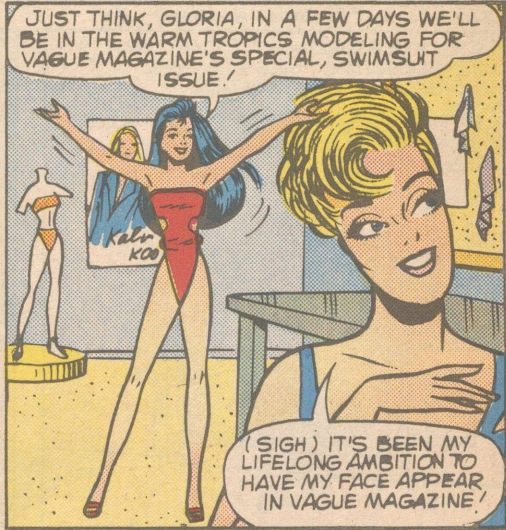
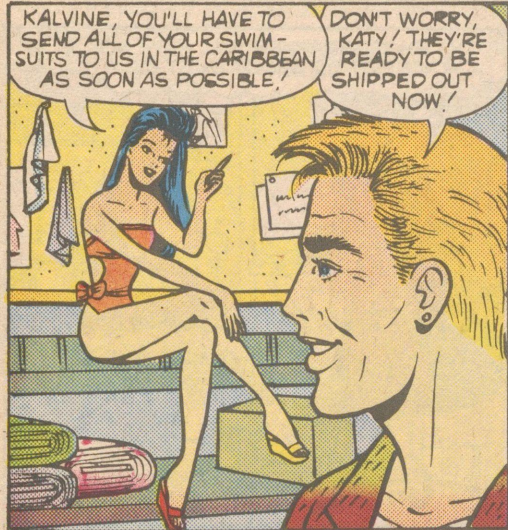
KATY'S SWIMSUIT BY JENNIFER ZWIERS, ONTARIO, CAN. GLORIA'S BY LINDA SEIBER, LADSON, S.C.

KALVINE, YOU'LL HAVE TO
SEND ALL OF YOUR SWIM-
SUITS TO US IN THE CARIBBEAN
AS SOON AS POSSIBLE!

DON'T WORRY,
KATY! THEY'RE
READY TO BE
SHIPPED OUT
NOW!

JUST THINK, GLORIA, IN A FEW DAYS WE'LL
BE IN THE WARM TROPICS MODELING FOR
VAGUE MAGAZINE'S SPECIAL, SWIMSUIT
ISSUE!

(SIGH) IT'S BEEN MY
LIFELONG AMBITION
TO HAVE MY FACE APPEAR
IN VAGUE MAGAZINE!

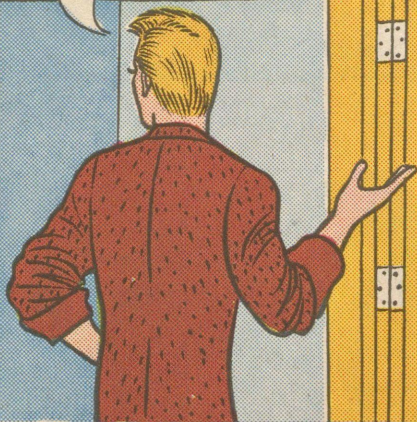


BY THE WAY, KATY, I ALSO WANT TO THANK YOU FOR MODELING THOSE OLD-FASHIONED SWIMWEAR ITEMS I'M SENDING TO THE FASHION INSTITUTE!

IT WAS MY PLEASURE, KALVINE!



★
MODELS'
DRESSING ROOM
PLEASE KNOCK



WHILE THOSE TWO ARE GABBING I'LL SWITCH LABELS ON THESE BOXES!

BLAH BLAH

YAK YAK
★
MODELS'
DRESSING ROOM
1914-1915

ALL OF KATY'S SWIMSUITS WILL GO TO THE FASHION INSTITUTE!

...AND THOSE ANCIENT SWIMWEAR ITEMS WILL GO TO KATY IN THE CARIBBEAN!

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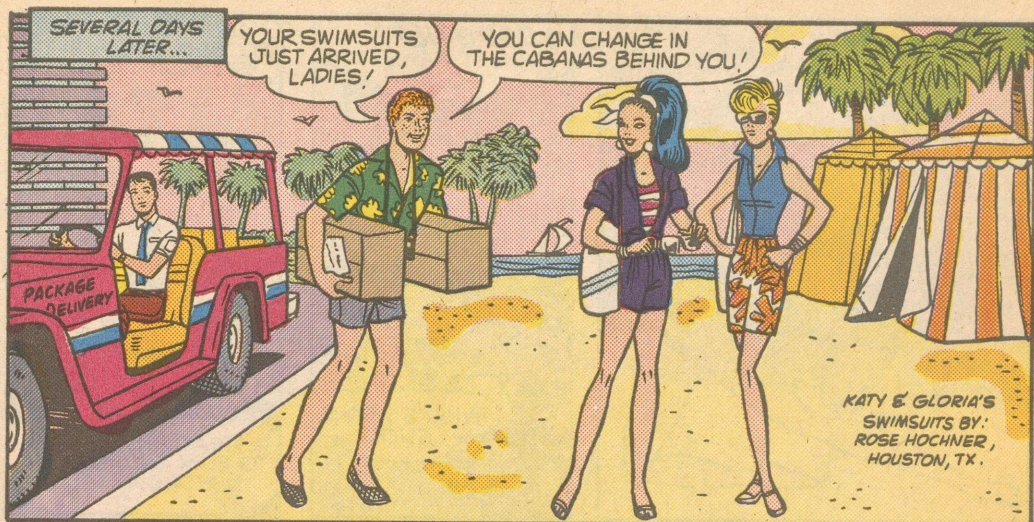
GLORIA'S SUIT BY RACHEL BAUMANN N.Y.

CHUCKLE! CHUCKLE! I CAN'T WAIT TO SEE KATY'S FACE WHEN SHE DISCOVERS THE MISTAKE!

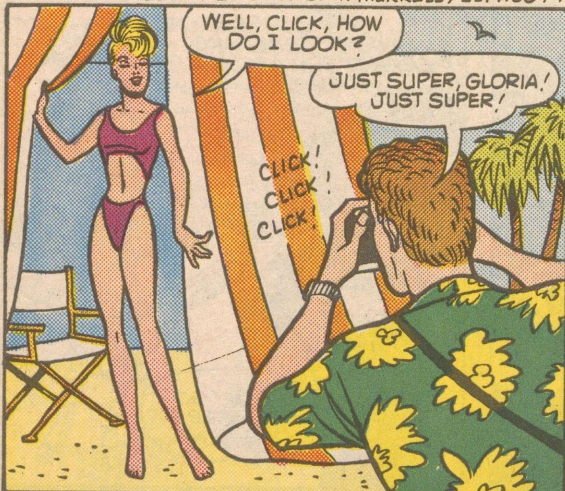
KALVINE
KOOL
DESIGN STUDIO

THE PHOTOGRAPHER WILL HAVE NO CHOICE BUT TO SHOOT JUST ME!

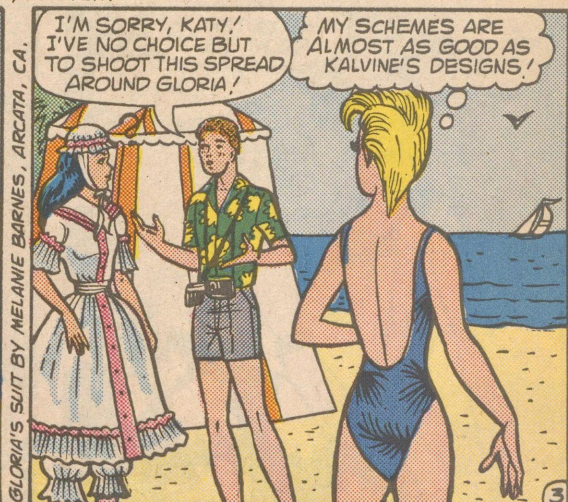
...AND MINE WILL BE THE ONLY FACE TO APPEAR IN THE VAGUE SWIMSUIT ARTICLE!

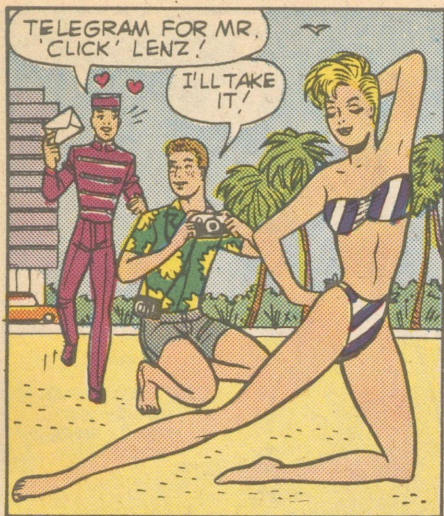


CLICK LENZ OUTFIT BY ELIZABETH MURRELL, EL PASO, TX.

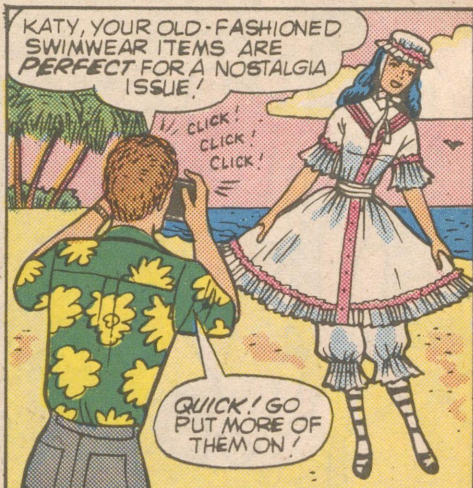
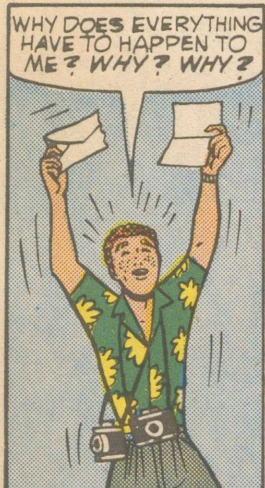


GLORIA'S SWIMSUIT BY PEARL JACKSON, SAN FRANCISCO, CA.





GLORIA'S SWIMSUIT BY DANIELLE BRUTON, SEB, CA.

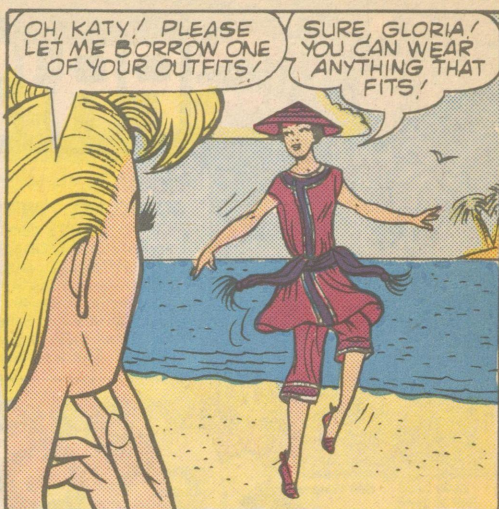


KATY'S SUIT BY ALICE BREWIN, HERTFORD, N.C.

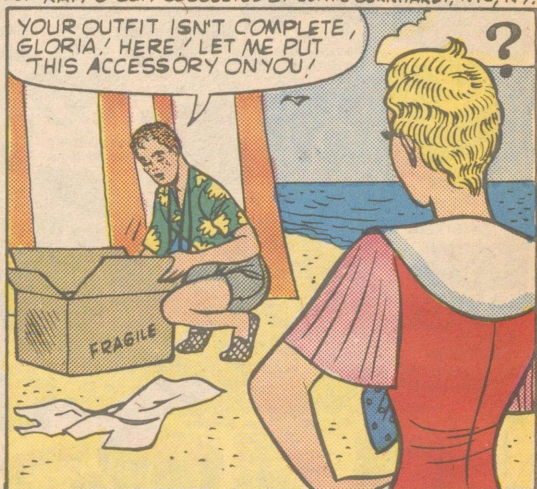


KATY'S SUIT BY LILLIAN JOHNSTON, BALDWIN, KS.

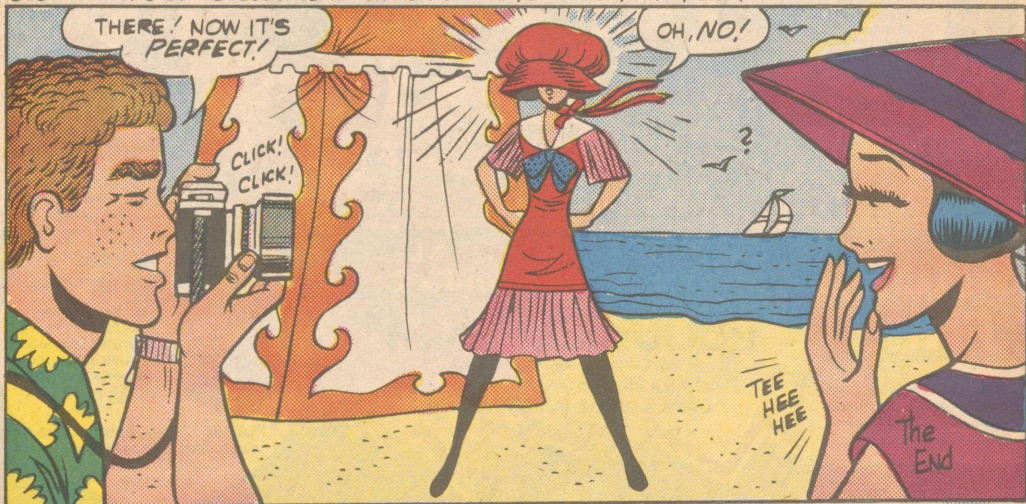




GLORIA'S SUIT BY SHANNON BYRD, WAYNESVILLE, MO. KATY'S SUIT SUGGESTED BY SOPHE BERNHARDT, NYC, NY.



GLORIA'S 1940 SUIT SUGGESTED BY JULIE FERRISS, BRANDON, MAN, CAN.



HOW MANY
BITES OF A
CHIPS AHOY!
CHOCOLATE
CHIP COOKIE
DOES IT TAKE
BEFORE
YOU BITE
A CHIP?

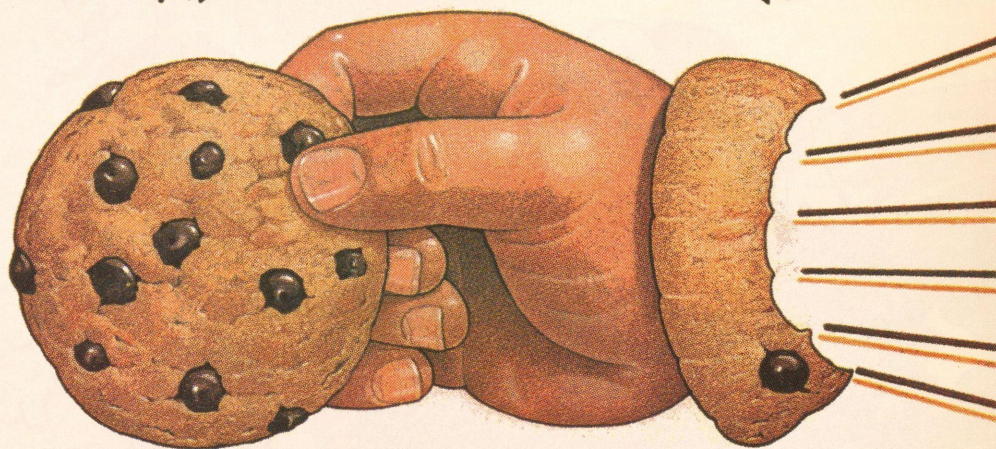
The
Chips Ahoy!
Chocolate Chip Cookies

**BETCHA
BITE A CHIP**
Fold-in



A▶

◀B



ONCE YOU FOLD 'A' TO 'B', THE
ANSWER WILL APPEAR



A▶

◀B

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